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Dr. Harmon McAllister  
Council for Tobacco Research  
900 Third Avenue  
New York, New York 10022

Dear Harmon,

As we discussed some weeks ago, I am writing to ask if the Council would be willing to help support the upcoming Gordon Conference on Vascular Cell Biology to be held June 29-July 3, 1992. This meeting brings together the majority of the active laboratories studying blood vessel disease, and provides an effective forum for the development of new hypotheses and experimental approaches. As one of the two co-chairmen (and thus organizer) of the meeting, I am devoted to promoting the attendance and scientific work of the newer members of this field. Many of the areas covered by the conference are and have been of interest to the Council. A tentative program is enclosed- I say tentative because it will be changed to include the new developments in the field so that the meeting will be very current.

I would be grateful if you could support a session (this involves reimbursing the 4 or 5 speakers for their travel) of your choice. The contribution of the Council will be acknowledged at the meeting, and if you have any announcements you would like distributed, they will be posted.

Do not hesitate to call me if I can answer any of your questions.

Best regards,

David

David Stern, M.D.

P.S. Harmon - the check should be sent  
to me and made out to -  
Vascular Gordon Conference/Columbia Univ.